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AMENDMENT

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Sir:

In response to the request to comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures, 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825, that accompanied the Office Action, mailed October 8, 2004, Applicants submit that the computer-readable form in the instant application is identical with the Sequence Listing submitted for Application No. 09/007,741, filed August 27, 1999. In accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(e), please use the computer-readable form filed in Application No. 09/007,741 as the computer-readable form for the instant application. The information in the paper copy of the

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Sequence Listing enclosed herewith is identical to that which is in the computer readable form, as required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f).

It is understood that the Patent and Trademark Office will make the necessary changes in application number and filing date for the computer-readable form that will be used for the instant application.

Please amend the specification in adherence with 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.821-1.825 as follows.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.